

## **\*\*Getting Prepared for Your Portrait Session\*\***

Please take a moment to review these tips to help make the most of your portrait session. If you have any questions, please call (800) 220-7667 for assistance.

### **Picture Day**

- Please have each senior arrive on time for their senior portrait to be taken at the school.

### **Senior Attire**

- Photographers do not provide hair products such as hair sprays & accessories.
- Each student should arrive with their personal styling (hair & make-up) in place before their photo session. Girls should not apply make-up during their scheduled sitting appointment.
- Keep your make-up natural & fresh.
- If you plan a haircut or perm, do it at least 1 week before your portrait session.
- Avoid sunburns & tan lines. Avoid over-exposure to the sun/tanning salons.
- Nails should be manicured to your liking.
- For guys, a fresh shave or neatly trimmed facial hair is a must.

### **Casual Pose – Taken First**

- Please come dressed appropriately – remember this is a casual pose.
- Wear clothing that is neat and comfortable.
- Make sure your clothes are clean and not wrinkled.
- Avoid bold and busy patterns. Solid or very subtle patterns are preferable.

### **Formal Graduation Pose**

- Boys will be photographed in a tux and girls in a formal drape which will be provided by the Photographer.
- Boys should wear a white T-shirt under their tuxes & girls should wear a shoulderless garment or tube-top under their formal drapes.
- Boys and girls will be photographed in cap & gown which will be provided by the Photographer.

### **Photo Processing**

- Barksdale School Portraits will mail portrait proofs to the parent approximately 4 weeks after the photo session, along with package and pricing information.
- **IMPORTANT:** Regardless of whether or not you are purchasing a package, your **YEARBOOK SELECTION** must be made by simply writing the chosen proof image number in the “yearbook selection” blank on the order form. For the ladies, your selection should be one of the poses where you are photographed in the drape; for the men, a tux pose should be chosen. Barksdale School Portraits must receive your yearbook selection within four weeks of the delivery of your proof.